

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Lynn Doucette-Stamm and David Bush
Application No.: 09/450,969 Group: 1643
Filed: November 29, 1999
For: Nucleic Acid and Amino Acid Sequences Relating to *Staphylococcus Epidermidis* for Diagnostic and Therapeutics



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